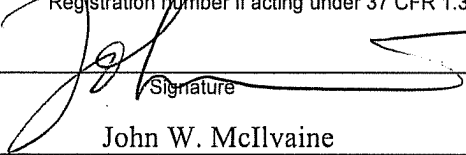


<b>PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)</b>		Docket Number (Optional) 3135 - 051782	
<b>FY 2009</b> <small>(Fees pursuant to the Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2005 (H.R. 4818).)</small>			
Application Number    10/538,545		Filed   12/5/2005	
For   "Method for Releasing Slug after Punching, and Punching Machine"			
Art Unit   3724		Examiner   Ghassem Alie	
This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above identified application.			
The requested extension and fee are as follows (check time period desired and enter the appropriate fee below):			
	<u>Fee</u>	<u>Small Entity Fee</u>	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> One month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1))	\$130	\$65	\$ 130
<input type="checkbox"/> Two months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(2))	\$490	\$245	\$
<input type="checkbox"/> Three months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(3))	\$1110	\$555	\$
<input type="checkbox"/> Four months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(4))	\$1730	\$865	\$
<input type="checkbox"/> Five months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(5))	\$2350	\$1175	\$
<input type="checkbox"/> Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.			
<input type="checkbox"/> A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.			
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payment by credit card.			
<input type="checkbox"/> The Director has already been authorized to charge fees in this application to a Deposit Account.			
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account Number                  23-0650			
<b>WARNING: Information on this form may become public. Credit card information should not be included on this form. Provide credit card information and authorization on PTO-2038.</b>			
I am the <input type="checkbox"/> applicant/inventor.			
<input type="checkbox"/> assignee of record of the entire interest. See 37 CFR 3.71. Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) is enclosed (Form PTO/SB/96).			
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> attorney or agent of record. Registration Number                  34219			
<input type="checkbox"/> attorney or agent under 37 CFR 1.34. Registration number if acting under 37 CFR 1.34                  _____			
 _____ Signature		November 18, 2008 _____ Date	
John W. McIlvaine _____ Typed or printed name		412-471-8815 _____ Telephone Number	

NOTE: Signatures of all the inventors or assignees of record of the entire interest or their representative(s) are required. Submit multiple forms if more than one signature is required, see below.

☒ Total of        1        forms are submitted.

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